

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY ROME

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E.O. 11652 NA

TAGS: BEXP, IT, SP, PO

SUBJ: PETROSUL SINES REFINERY IN PORTUGAL

REF: ROME 6617

ON JUNE 7, 1973, EXIMBANK RENEWED ITS PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT  
TO FINANCE 45 PERCENT AND GUARANTEE OTHER 45 PERCENT.

ESTIMATED U.S. EXPORT VALUE DOLS 117 MILLION. AMORTIZATION  
PERIOD 12 YEARS FOLLOWING START-UP. QUESTION OF GUARANTOR  
STILL UNRESOLVED. RUSH

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
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**Concepts:** n/a  
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**Draft Date:** 13 JUL 1973  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** worrelsw  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
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**Drafter:** XMB:KEKIZIAN  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
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**Review Authority:** worrelsw  
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**Review Media Identifier:**  
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**TAGS:** BEXP, IT, SP, PO  
**To:** ROME  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005